

Sudoku #1

6			1		5			
4		1		2		6		
3	2			8				
				5		2	1	
			7		1			
	1	4		9				
				3			8	4
		5		7		9		3
			9		8			6

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Fill in the blank squares so that each row, each column and each 3-by-3 block contain all of the digits 1 thru 9.

If you use logic you can solve the puzzle without guesswork.

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"The expression of beauty is in direct ratio to the power of conception the artist has acquired."
-- Gustave Courbet

Sudoku #2

9	6					3	4	
						9		7
			8			6		
			7					1
	3	4	9		1	8	5	
5					2			
		9			7			
3		8						
	1	5					7	6

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Nothing is true. Everything is permitted.
-- Hassan I Sabbah

Sudoku #3

	2	7	5		3		4	
3	8		6					
					1			
		1		5	8			
	5						6	
			1	4		2		
			7					
					2		1	6
	7		8		9	3	2	

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Utopia has banned neurosis -- Punishes illegal thought. The people nurse in static poses. Neurotic fears of being caught.

Sudoku #4

	5	6		1				
	1				4			
7					9		5	
			8	2				9
		7	6		3	1		
3				5	7			
	6		2					7
			1				4	
				7		2	8	

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Everything is more complicated than it looks to most people.
-- Frederick Lewis Allen

Sudoku #5

	8	2		9				5
						9		
		9	1		2		3	6
					6		9	
8		1				3		7
	3		8					
3	4		5		9	6		
		6						
2				3		8	4	

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"A work of art which did not begin in emotion is not art."
-- Paul Cezanne

Sudoku #6

		2		6				5
1	6		8	2				
3	5	8						2
			1					
2	1						7	9
					2			
7						5	3	4
				9	8		2	7
4				7		1		

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Forget that loser.

Sudoku #7

8		9				3		
2	4		3					
					8			4
		4						9
1	2		8		4		3	6
7						8		
4			5					
					2		6	7
		7				9		2

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"The illegal we do immediately. The unconstitutional takes a bit longer."
-- Henry Kissinger

Sudoku #8

			9	1			2	
3	2			6	8			
					3		6	4
		7						6
	3			2			4	
9						8		
1	7		8					
			6	5			3	7
	6			9	2			

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

	30	24		1		39	36	17
	23		2		35		40	18
		34	3		38	46	47	22
48	26	27	9		15			37
53	31	32		4		42	41	49
50			10		11	43	19	51
44	28	33	12		13	20		
16	14		7		8		5	
29	21	25		6		45	52	

Sudoku #2

		44	45	46	1			4
18	17	47	54	48	41		26	
22	15	42		43	38		27	5
23	39	24		19	34	6	31	
7				2				3
	35	20	12	36		8	21	32
16	13		49	55		50	25	28
	14		51	52	33	53	30	29
10			11	40	37	9		

INSTRUCTIONS: These hint grids reveal the order in which the squares were solved by my computer. It's not necessarily the same order you would use, but it's probably close. Follow the numbered squares in order 1,2,3... until you find a square you haven't solved yet. This square (or the one or two immediately after it) is a good candidate to solve next.

Sudoku #1

6	7	8	1	4	5	3	9	2
4	5	1	3	2	9	6	7	8
3	2	9	6	8	7	5	4	1
7	3	6	8	5	4	2	1	9
8	9	2	7	6	1	4	3	5
5	1	4	2	9	3	8	6	7
9	6	7	5	3	2	1	8	4
1	8	5	4	7	6	9	2	3
2	4	3	9	1	8	7	5	6

Sudoku #2

9	6	2	1	7	5	3	4	8
8	5	3	6	2	4	9	1	7
1	4	7	8	9	3	6	2	5
2	9	6	7	5	8	4	3	1
7	3	4	9	6	1	8	5	2
5	8	1	4	3	2	7	6	9
6	2	9	5	4	7	1	8	3
3	7	8	2	1	6	5	9	4
4	1	5	3	8	9	2	7	6

Sudoku #3

15				21	24			22
		25		35	4	45	31	36
46	32	37	23	38		47	48	49
28	29		16			55	50	51
39		12	17	18	1	52		40
27	8	33			2		26	30
19	11	9		14	5	53	54	41
42	7	34	6	3		10		
43	44		13					20

Sudoku #4

30			6		24	46	47	48
31		21	7	49		33	34	28
	50	29	1	51		32		10
9	2	8			3	37	52	
35	20			23			4	11
	13	12	14			38	5	36
41	40		53	26	45	27		
39	15	42		54	25	44		55
16	19	43	22		17			18

Sudoku #3

1	2	7	5	8	3	6	4	9
3	8	9	6	2	4	5	7	1
5	4	6	9	7	1	8	3	2
7	6	1	2	5	8	4	9	3
4	5	2	3	9	7	1	6	8
9	3	8	1	4	6	2	5	7
2	1	3	7	6	5	9	8	4
8	9	5	4	3	2	7	1	6
6	7	4	8	1	9	3	2	5

Sudoku #4

4	5	6	7	1	2	3	9	8
9	1	3	5	8	4	6	7	2
7	8	2	3	6	9	4	5	1
6	4	5	8	2	1	7	3	9
8	9	7	6	4	3	1	2	5
3	2	1	9	5	7	8	6	4
5	6	4	2	3	8	9	1	7
2	7	8	1	9	6	5	4	3
1	3	9	4	7	5	2	8	6

Sudoku #5

16			51		14	52	29	
45	53	11	46	13	17		15	18
47	48			1		49		
42	24	25	2	38		33		3
	19		12	32	21		34	
4		43		39	40	28	20	23
		5		36			30	22
41	8		26	27	7	37	31	6
	50	44	9		35			10

Sudoku #6

1	32		47	48	33	25		
		26		34	27	19	2	
			35	8	36	28	29	
20	53	37		30	49	38	21	9
		50	39	40	41	42		
22	51	43	44	31		45	23	10
	24	11	12	3	4			
13	5	14	15			6		
	16	17	52	46		18	7	

Sudoku #5

6	8	2	4	9	3	7	1	5
4	1	3	7	6	5	9	8	2
5	7	9	1	8	2	4	3	6
7	2	4	3	5	6	1	9	8
8	6	1	9	2	4	3	5	7
9	3	5	8	1	7	2	6	4
3	4	8	5	7	9	6	2	1
1	9	6	2	4	8	5	7	3
2	5	7	6	3	1	8	4	9

Sudoku #6

9	4	2	3	6	7	8	1	5
1	6	7	8	2	5	9	4	3
3	5	8	9	4	1	7	6	2
8	7	4	1	3	9	2	5	6
2	1	5	6	8	4	3	7	9
6	9	3	7	5	2	4	8	1
7	8	9	2	1	6	5	3	4
5	3	1	4	9	8	6	2	7
4	2	6	5	7	3	1	9	8

Sudoku #7

	31		35	34	49		46	50
		48		53	36	44	18	7
32	33	54	16	42		45	37	
28	8		39	51	38	43	52	
		1		6		2		
	10	29	41	40	55		9	47
	22	11		20	12	3	4	5
13	30	15	23	24		17		
25	26		19	14	27		21	

Sudoku #8

14	25	17			4	18		16
		49	5			26	39	45
34	35	50	6	1		46		
28	51		27	11	7	38	47	
19		20	52		22	48		40
	53	29	54	10	21		24	23
		37		8	2	12	43	30
31	32	36			3	44		
41		13	9			33	15	42

Sudoku #7

8	7	9	6	4	5	3	2	1
2	4	6	3	1	7	5	9	8
5	3	1	9	2	8	6	7	4
6	8	4	7	5	3	2	1	9
1	2	5	8	9	4	7	3	6
7	9	3	2	6	1	8	4	5
4	6	2	5	7	9	1	8	3
9	5	8	1	3	2	4	6	7
3	1	7	4	8	6	9	5	2

Sudoku #8

7	4	6	9	1	5	3	2	8
3	2	1	4	6	8	7	9	5
8	9	5	2	7	3	1	6	4
4	5	7	3	8	9	2	1	6
6	3	8	1	2	7	5	4	9
9	1	2	5	4	6	8	7	3
1	7	9	8	3	4	6	5	2
2	8	4	6	5	1	9	3	7
5	6	3	7	9	2	4	8	1